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## **Comments Received:**

I am a solo librarian in a small Bible college and I strongly recommend retaining the IPEDS Academic Libraries Survey. Benchmarking analysis is crucial in understaffed library environments, and eliminating the Academic Library Survey from IPEDS will eliminate free access to a vital source of data and a key comparison tool for ALL academic libraries. This survey provides academic libraries with the necessary data to engage in analysis that can result in substantive improvement to services that strengthen our colleges and universities by supporting teaching and research. Please reconsider eliminating the Academic Libraries Survey, for the love of libraries, students and learning!